One Of The Most Valuable Rights

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of age to exercise one of their most valuable rights. The right hands of 33 students were simultaneously raised after their registration cards were completed, and Marks swore in the new voters collectively.

According to social studies teacher Edward Sheehan, this year's turnout far exceeded that of, last year. Sheehan added that many seniors have already registered to vote, and that others have yet to turn 18. "This is a new age of political awareness," Sheehan said. "You can't keep kids away from current events."

Linda Henderson, moderator of the League of Women Voters, emphasized to students the practicality of the right to vote, outlining the interlocking elements of duty and responsibility. "Town Meetings are informative and entertaining," Mrs. Henderson said, "and a good chance to feel a part of the town's decision-making process."

Marks further explained some of the finer nuances of voting, such as the wish to declare a party ballot in a primary election if a voter is otherwise registered as Independent. Marks said simply by declaring which party ballot is desired, the vote can be cast, and an immediate switch back to Independent status can be effected.

Absentee ballots are equally easy to obtain, Marks said. If you have to be absent on the day of election, you can vote prior to that date at the Town Clerk's Office on a voting machine after the completion

of an application. If a student is away at school or travelling, an absentee ballot may be sent for, or once again, a vote can be made before leaving. Marge Izzo, Pat Gwinn and Genevieve Young of the league assisted students in the use of an electronic voting machine.

Golden Selectman Hopeful

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tures with the school system that is the largest employe in town with 210 personnel and a fiscal budget in excess of 50 per cent of the town's total budget, Mrs. Golden instituted the position of business manager which she said has proven invaluable in controlling costs within established guidelines. This position is the first of its kind ever to be instituted in the town.

"I enjoy a good working relationship with town department heads and committees and appreciate their knowledge and assistance over the years," she said.

For the past 27 years,

selectmen have included a woman. Mrs. Golden said this custom brings an added dimension and philosophy into the realm of decision making.

The candidate said, "The economic conditions of the times mandate the campaign issues be taxation, fiscal awareness, budgetary priorities and a stand-by energy plan for all town departments."

Mrs. Golden graduated from Mount Alvernia Academy in Chestnut Hill and Mount Ida Junior College. She has long been active in community affairs and lives at 2 Bound Brook Lane with her husband John and their two children, Karen and Cari.



VOTE GETTERS — Helping line up Cohasset 18 year olds to register to vote are, from left, Linda and Richard Henderson, Ed Sheehan and Charles Marks.

Family Forum Created

A Family Forum of the South Shore group has been created to educate its members and the general public on matters affecting women and their families.

This organization is a local chapter of the Association of the W's, Inc. and/or Women Who Want to be Women (WWWW) in Fort Worth, Texas.

Adopting Edmund Burke's observation, "All that is necessary for the triumph of evil is that good men do nothing," as its motto, Family

Forum is dedicated to combatting all anti-moral, anti-family and anti-Biblical forces wherever found — whether in the highest office of our nation, the halls of Congress, educational institutions, the TV screen at home or the corner store pornography shelf.

Family Forum is founded on the belief that the Holy Scriptures are mankind's guide for spiritual attainment and moral conduct; that the Declaration of Independence and the U.S. Constitution are effective instruments to provide individual rights, freedom and opportunity; and that families form the building blocks of society.

Family Forum members believe in the rights of women but oppose a unisex social structure; that it is the right and responsibility of parents (not the government) to train children and establish their values; and that innocent human life should be protected from time of conception till natural death.

Meetings are held the last Tuesday of every month at the Cushing Room of the Rockland Trust Co. in Cushing Plaza at 8 p.m. Interested persons can also write Box, 243, Cohasset, 02025, or call 383-0547





SIGNING UP to vote are 18 year olds, from left, Joe McCullough, Tom Higgins, Chris MacKenzie, Mark Young and Pat Plante.







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